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Docket No.: BIDM-P01-015
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In re Patent Application of:
Frangioni et al.

Application No.: 10/579,613

Confirmation No.: 3557

Filed: May 17, 2006

Art Unit: N/A

For: SERUM ALBUMIN CONJUGATED TO
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Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

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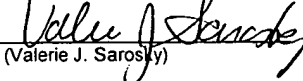
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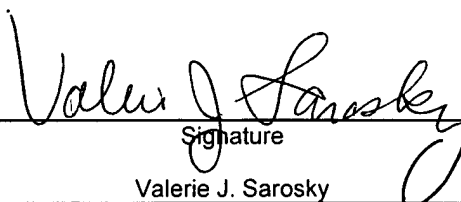
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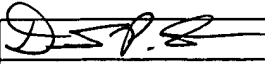
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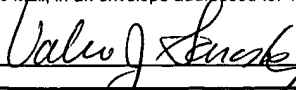
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Design	210	105	100	50	130	65	
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80	
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310	
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0	
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							
						Small Entity	
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Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)						50	25
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Multiple dependent claims						370	185
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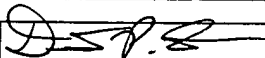
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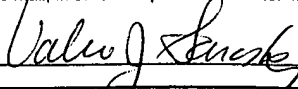
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/17/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/17/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/17/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/17/2006
- Small Entity Statement filed on 05/17/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/17/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 05/17/2006
- Specification filed on 05/17/2006
- Claims filed on 05/17/2006
- Abstracts filed on 05/17/2006
- Drawings filed on 05/17/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$65** for a Small Entity:

- **\$65** Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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